

PhD Program Semester by Semester Planning (post Purdue MS)

	Semester 1	Semester 2	Summer	Semester 3 - Fieldwork	Semester 4 - Fieldwork	Summer	Semester 5*	Semester 6*
Courses	600s Courses, Research Hours	600s Courses, Research Hours	Research Hours, if needed	Research Hours, as needed	Research Hours, as needed	Research Hours, if needed	Research Hours, as needed	Research Hours, as needed
	Methods and Statistics, as needed	Electives						
	Non-Engl. Language, if needed	Continue Language (must be satisfied prior to or concurrent with prelim)						
Committee	Annual Progress Meeting with committee; submit annual progress report	Advisor submits annual progress report		Discuss fieldwork/research	Discuss fieldwork/research		Discuss data/dissertation	Discuss dissertation
	Plan Courses	Meet with committee before fieldwork begins	Meet with committee before fieldwork begins	Annual Progress Meeting with committee	Advisor submits annual progress report		Annual Progress Meeting with committee; submit annual progress report	Advisor submits annual progress report
	Submit Plan of Study before prelim	Submit travel forms, as needed		Submit annual progress report			Submit chapters to committee	
Research	Plan fieldwork location; initiate site permissions						Discuss grant, post-doc, job applications with committee and submit	
	Work on proposal	Submit IRB/PACUC protocols	Research/Fieldwork	Independently/externally funded data collection	Independently/externally funded data collection	Research	Analyze data	Final project/grant reports due
	Attend CIE Teaching Workshop I Series (if needed)	Plan intl travel (visa, permissions, travel insu)		Collect and enter data	Collect and enter data		Present at conferences	Analyze and report results
Exams	Read in subject area	Prepare grants		Revise and resubmit grant applications	Submit IRB/PACUC protocol amendments as needed		Update IRB/PACUC	Present at conferences
	Submit external grants; budget project	Submit in absentia registration request, if needed.					Participate in professionalism trainings, seminars and opportunities	
	None	Preliminary Exam						PhD Dissertation and edits
		PhD Proposal (Oral presentation and Written)						PhD Oral Defense
		Need final committee approval on proposal before research						Dissertation deposit

*Additional semesters as needed.